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Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of October 10, 2002,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE ABSTRACT:

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WAS/AL  
Rewrite the Abstract of the Disclosure as on the  
accompanying separate sheet.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 3, replace the paragraph beginning on line 30 and  
bridging pages 3 and 4 as follows:

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--The retroreflective base on which a fluorine-  
containing resin film is provided is not particularly limited,  
provided that it has a smooth surface layer on its light-incident  
side, i.e., it has a flat front face. For example, an enclosed  
lens retroreflective sheet as shown in Fig. 1, an encapsulated  
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